

INTRODUCED: 02/01/2010

REFERRED TO: Parks and Recreation Committee

SPONSOR: Councillor Coleman

DIGEST: amends the Code to clarify provisions with respect to possession of firearms on park property

SOURCE:

Initiated by: Councillor Coleman

Drafted by: Robert G. Elrod, General Counsel

LEGAL REQUIREMENTS FOR ADOPTION:

Subject to approval or veto by Mayor

PROPOSED EFFECTIVE DATE:

Adoption and approvals

GENERAL COUNSEL APPROVAL: _____ Date: January 27, 2010

CITY-COUNTY GENERAL ORDINANCE NO. _____, 2010

A PROPOSAL FOR A GENERAL ORDINANCE amending Sec. 631-108 of the Revised Code of the Consolidated City and County to clarify provision with respect to possession of firearms on park property.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY-COUNTY COUNCIL OF THE
CITY OF INDIANAPOLIS AND OF MARION COUNTY, INDIANA:

SECTION 1. Sec. 631-108 of the Revised Code of the Consolidated City and County be, and is here by amended by deleting the stricken-through text and inserting the underlined text, to read as follows:

Sec. 631-108. Discharging firearms.

It shall be unlawful for any person, unless authorized by resolution of the board of parks and recreation,

- (i) to discharge any firearms, except by a law enforcement officer or any other person in defense of such person or such person's property. ~~or~~
- (ii) to have possession of any firearms, unless such person has a valid permit to carry such firearm or is a member of a police agency or armed services which requires such firearm to be carried,
- (iii) to have possession of any ~~or~~ other explosive devices, or
- (iv) to endanger others by the use of any weapon, article or device, within any park, playground or on any property controlled or leased by the department of parks and recreation, or on which a concession has been granted by it.

SECTION 2. This resolution shall be in full force and effect upon adoption and compliance with IC 36-3-4-14.

The foregoing was passed by the City-County Council this _____ day of _____, 2010, at _____ p.m.

ATTEST:

Ryan Vaughn
President, City-County Council

Melissa Thompson
Clerk, City-County Council

Presented by me to the Mayor this _____ day of _____, 2010, at 10:00 a.m.

Melissa Thompson
Clerk, City-County Council

Approved and signed by me this _____ day of _____, 2010.

Gregory A. Ballard, Mayor